

PATENT
MAN03 P-116

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Edgar Bonifer et al.
Serial No. : 10/827,175
Filing Date : April 19, 2004
For : CONVEYOR FOR TRANSPORTING LOAD CARRIERS

Group Art Unit : 3651
Examiner : Richard Ridley

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir or Madam:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above identified application.
The fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

Col. 1			Col. 2		Col. 3	Small Entity	Other Than Small Entity	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For		Present Extra	Rate	Add'l Fee	Add'l Fee
Total Claims	* 44	Minus	** 44	= 0		x \$25	\$.00	x \$50 \$.00
Independent Claims	* 1	Minus	*** 3	= 0		x \$100	\$.00	x \$200 \$.00
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims						\$180	\$.00	x \$360 \$.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT							\$.00	\$ 0.00

- * If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3
** If the "Highest No. Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
*** If the "Highest No. Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, write "3" in this space.
The "Highest No. Previously Paid For" (Total or Independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box in Col. 1 of a prior amendment or the number of claims originally filed.

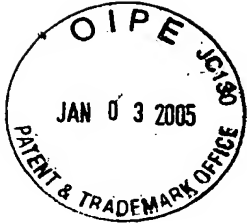
1. ☐ Small entity status of this application has been established.
2. ☒ No additional Fee is required.
3. ☐ A check in the amount of \$ _____ is attached.
4. ☒ Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 22-0190.
A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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RESPONSE

Responsive to the Office Action mailed September 29, 2004, Applicants wish to amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.

An Information Disclosure Statement is attached.